

FIRST CHIEF'S TROOPS MOVE AS PERSHING STARTS HOME

Rift in Border Relations Reported Growing Wider As News of Fresh Raid On American Towns Reaches United States Capital

BANDITS WON'T DISCUSS EXCHANGE OF PRISONERS

Major Langhorne and His Cavalrymen Sent Across Rio Grande Again In Effort To Rescue Jesse Deering From His Captors

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

WASHINGTON, May 13.—Out of the jumbled statements from the border two things stood out last night. One was that the Mexican de facto government is moving troops to a concentration camp it has established south of Douglas, Arizona, and the other was that the two countries apparently are more hopelessly unable to agree than ever.

Even negotiations conducted with the bandits who are believed to have two Americans in their possession south of Nogales refused to parley with the Americans who had gone to attempt to effect an exchange of prisoners.

Recross Border
As a consequence of this Major Langhorne with two troops of the Eighth Cavalry, has recrossed the border in the hope of being able to rescue Jesse Deering and any other Americans who may be held prisoners by the robbers. The bandits are holding Deering for ransom.

Douglas reported that arrivals from Naco bring the information that the Carranzistas are moving comparatively large bodies of troops to the west, but that their destination is not divulged. Two thousand Carranzista soldiers are said to have been sent out from that town their objective being kept a deep secret. It is believed however that they are destined for the concentration camp at Del Rio, south of the Arizona border.

Report Fresh Raid

Late despatches yesterday afternoon reported another Mexican raid, a band of outlaws having attacked Palaris, a mining camp not far from Lochiel, on the Arizona border. Col. W. H. Sage, commanding at Nogales has ordered a company of infantry and a dozen troops to guard Lochiel and Washington Camp, and to patrol other towns along that section of the border.

The cavalrymen and posse that followed the raiders who murdered Curtis Bayless an American rancher, are reported to have killed one of the band and captured two of them. The prisoners were taken to military headquarters for examination, says one report. Another declares that the murderers escaped. Later it was announced at Brownsville, that the American authorities have decided not to cross the Rio Grande in pursuit of the Mexicans who killed Bayless.

Withdrawal Begins

Gen. Taylor, H. Bliss announced here last night that the pursuit of Villa by General Pershing has ceased and that the American commander in Mexico is now gathering his men together and making preparations for his northward march. He is concentrating his scouts at Nampiqui, and the preliminary step for withdrawing the troops have been taken.

Oregon Leaves Border

General Oregon left the border yesterday the conference with the representatives of the United States having been finished, and General Scott is ready to start for Washington to make his report to Secretary Baker and the President. General Funston left for San Antonio yesterday afternoon.

Juan Aguilar, the under secretary for foreign affairs of the Carranza government, yesterday reassured General Scott that his government has given the military orders necessary to make troop dispositions to restore and maintain order on the northern frontier of Mexico. Fifteen hundred men have been ordered by the Carranza government to run down the bandits who attacked Glenn Springs.

Forces of Carranzistas have been sent to Palaris and others to the Big Bend country, to see that the Americans are not molested, he told the American officers.

President Resting

President Wilson is spending the week-end on the presidential yacht Mayflower on the Potomac river. After a cabinet meeting yesterday, Secretary of War Baker announced that there was no change in the Mexican situation, but there were renewed indications that the administration has no intention of withdrawing the troops until the danger of further raids is eliminated.

No final steps will be taken or a decision reached until the return of General Scott from the border. The administration considers that the next step is up to Carranza.

The cabinet considered the telegraphic report sent by General Scott. Its contents have not been disclosed but indications are that an unwritten agreement has been reached with General Oregon as to cooperation of troops along the border.

JOURNEY BY ASQUITH TO DUBLIN PLEASURES PEOPLE OF BRITAIN

Premier Takes Personal Charge of Situation and Good Results Are Expected

EXECUTIONS MAY CEASE WHEN HE RETURNS HOME

Two More Rebel Leaders Shot To Death, But Ireland Is Comparatively Quiet

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

LONDON, May 13.—The move of Prime Minister Asquith in visiting Dublin and taking personal charge of the conduct of affairs there is hailed by his supporters here and elsewhere throughout the kingdom as a stroke of genius. It is asserted that it has, as nothing else could have done, assuaged political passions and pacified the discontented Irish.

The Premier spent his day in Dublin getting thoroughly in touch with the situation there and investigating the causes that led up to the revolt.

It is regarded here as practically certain that no more executions will take place after Mr. Asquith's return from Ireland. The day was quiet here, parliament not being in session.

Two more Irish rebels were executed yesterday. They were James Connolly and John McDermott. The court ordered them shot to death.

Dublin, rejoicing over the arrival of Asquith, and pleased by his guarded statements regarding the situation, listened to the repeated report that martial law in Ireland is soon to be relaxed and abandoned entirely.

Some Counties Still Restive
In some of the counties, however, the situation is still disturbed, and the military patrols are keeping a close watch. The British papers refrained from comment upon the action of Representative L. C. Dyer of East St. Louis, although they all carried the announcement of his resolution laid before the American house of representatives, calling upon that body to "express the horror of the American people" at the execution of the Irish rebels.

PEACE HOPES DIM ASSERTS M'CLURE

Editor Back From Europe Says All Warring Nations Confident of Victory

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

NEW YORK, May 12.—No definite hopes for early peace among the warring nations of Europe are held out by S. S. McClure, veteran newspaper and magazine publisher, who returned to lay from a long trip abroad, during the course of which he visited virtually all the belligerent countries.

McClure accompanied the Ford peace expedition to Europe but did not return with the first homecoming delegates.

"The people of Germany and Austria desire peace for commercial reasons but they have no fear of defeat," he declared. "All of the belligerents are confident of the victory of their respective military forces, and are determined to fight this war to a finish."

POLITICAL SITUATION IN HAITI IS SERIOUS

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
SANTO DOMINGO, May 13.—The political situation here is still serious. Rear Admiral Caperton, commanding the American warships in the harbor, visited the American legation yesterday and discussed the conditions and the possible steps to be taken to relieve it, with the minister. The United States gunboat Dolphin and a torpedo boat destroyer reached port late yesterday afternoon.

STEVENS AGAIN BUSY WITH LABOR ON COAST

Despatches from Los Angeles yesterday announced that O. A. Stevens, who was found guilty some time ago of having violated the law against unlicensed labor recruiting, is offering to contract for 5000 Filipino laborers for work in the Imperial Valley, where labor is greatly needed. The despatch reports that Stevens is exhibiting Judge-Justice's charge that there is peonage in Hawaii.

TEMBLORS FELT IN IDAHO

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
BOISE, Idaho, May 12.—Violent earthquake shocks were felt in this city yesterday. The whole region was affected, but no damage was done.

FOR A LAME BACK

When you have pains or lameness in the back, better the parts with Chamberlain's Pain Balm twice a day, massaging with the fingers. The balm is a powerful pain reliever. It is a dampen a piece of flannel slightly with this balm and find it on over the seat of pain. For sale by all dealers. Beware, Smith & Co., Ltd., agents for Hawaii.

STEAMER PICKS UP ANOTHER LIFEBOAT

Contained Body of Second Officer of Freighter Roanoke

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

SAN FRANCISCO, May 13.—The steamer City of Para has wireless to her agents here that she has picked up a lifeboat belonging to the wrecked steamer Roanoke, eleven miles off Cape Arguello, California.

The boat, which was waterlogged, contained the body of Second Officer John Dennis.

Search for the other boats is being kept up by United States torpedo boat destroyers.

The steamer Yosemite sent a wireless message night before last declaring that she had picked up a boat containing one body, believed to have been that of John Dennis, the second officer of the Roanoke.

ALLIED TROOPS SUPPLIED WITH LOCAL ANAESTHETIC

Powerful Sprayers Will Spread Slumber Over German Lines

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

NEW YORK, May 13.—British and French troops fighting on the western front are now being equipped with powerful sprayer bottles filled with a local anesthetic for use in attacking.

The anesthetic it is said, will produce instant unconsciousness, which will last for three hours, but will leave no serious after effects.

Large quantities of these bottles are being shipped from the United States to the Allies, for immediate use on the firing line.

The composition of the anesthetic is being kept a profound secret.

ARMY REORGANIZATION STILL IS IN DEADLOCK

Senate and House Conferees May Reach Agreement Today

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

WASHINGTON, May 13.—The deadlock that held the conferees on the house and senate army bills appeared to have broken yesterday afternoon, following one of the most heated sessions the joint committee has held.

Last night it was declared by house and senate leaders that an agreement now appears to be approaching, and it is expected that the conferees will reach some sort of a compromise this afternoon.

For a time yesterday morning it appeared as though the committee was hopelessly locked and that nothing could stir it. The senate conferees declared that unless the senate method was followed in reorganizing the army there would be no army bill this session.

Chairman Hay of the house military committee and one of the conferees was quoted as having said after leaving the meeting: "We have agreed upon nothing and I don't know that we ever will."

STEAMER WITH CARGO SHY BILLS OF LADING

Latter Were Seized By British Official In Hongkong

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

SAN FRANCISCO, May 13.—The steamer Tiki-maru of the Java Paoel Steamship Company, reached here yesterday afternoon from Java with 12,000 tons of cargo, consigned to local firms.

Her mail, including the bills of lading for the freight in her own holds, was removed by the British authorities in Hongkong.

The consignees are unable to get their freight without the bills of lading, and are compelled to await the forwarding of the papers from China.

In the meantime the cargo of the Tiki-maru has been placed in warehouses.

STEAMER SEIKO MARU IS GIVEN UP AS LOST

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

TACOMA, May 13.—More than fifty two days overdue at Vladivostok, the Japanese steamer Seiko Maru is given up as lost, by local shipping men. She carried a cargo for the Russian government estimated at \$500,000 in value.

WILHELM DECORATES CAPT. FRANZ BOY-ED FOR HIS 'SERVICES'

Former German Naval Attache At Washington, Ordered Recalled, Honored By Kaiser

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

COPENHAGEN, May 13.—Capt. Franz Boy-Ed, former naval attache of the German embassy at Washington, whose recall was requested by the United States at the same time it asked for the withdrawal of Captain von Papen, the military attache, has been decorated by the special order of the Kaiser in "recognition of his services in America."

The government of the United States demanded the recall of Boy-Ed because of his continued activity of a nature which the Washington authorities considered as violating the neutrality of the country.

Those activities are now rewarded by his own government.

WASHINGTON ON WATCH IN MATTER OF SUSSEX

Wants To Know Nature of Punishment For Attack

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Secretary Lansing announced today that he has cabled Ambassador Gerard to ascertain the nature of the punishment which is to be visited upon the commander of the German submarine which sank the Sussex, in accordance with the pledge given by Germany.

America's next step in the negotiations with the Entente Allies regarding the treatment of neutral commerce will be delayed on account of the implied threat contained in the German note of May 5.

This has made the situation more complicated, as it is impossible for the United States to press its demands immediately without appearing to do so at the bidding of Berlin.

COMMERCE CHAMBER TAKES UP CHARTER

Committee Meets With Rapid Transit Man On Franchise

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

The members of the public utilities committee of the chamber of commerce met yesterday with the attorney for the Rapid Transit company to discuss matters concerning the proposed amendments to the railway franchise now before the Governor for his consideration.

The meeting lasted about two hours and many questions on the changes of the charter were asked and answered.

It is the intention of the committee to meet again with members of the public utilities commission, to go more thoroughly into the proposed changes, and then it is thought that there will be a general discussion of the whole matter before a meeting of the members of the chamber.

S. S. Paxon, chairman of the committee, was a member of the legislature in which the Frear franchise was passed in 1913 and is very familiar with the matters at issue. The other members of the committee are J. A. Balch, O. A. Bierbach, J. P. Childs, George A. Brown and A. S. Prescott.

FORMER MAYOR SCHMIDTZ HEADS RECALL OF ROLPH

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

SAN FRANCISCO, May 13.—Eugene Schmidt, former mayor of the city, is at the head of a movement to recall Mayor Rolph. The petitions which Schmidt is circulating charges Rolph with negligence of his duties, with having been illegally elected and with failure to remove Chief of Police White.

NEW YORK WILL HAVE POLICE WIRELESS PLANT

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

NEW YORK, May 13.—The police department yesterday began its installation of a wireless station for use in time of war or emergencies. The plant will be equipped to operate over a radius of 500 miles. The stations will be connected with army and navy posts.

BERLIN HAS REPORTS OF ITALIAN MUTINIES

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

BERLIN, May 13.—Mutiny is rife in the Italian army, say despatches from neutral sources to the Overseas News Agency. According to that authority a regiment of the reserve, stationed in barracks at Piacenza, rebelled yesterday against its officers. Other reports declare that a brigade from Sassari, engaged in active service on the Austrian front, also mutinied.

RECENT FROSTS NEAR LODI INJURE CROPS

(Special Marconigram to Nippo Jijū)

SAN FRANCISCO, May 12.—Great damage to the grape industry is the result of the recent frost in the vicinity of Lodi. The loss to Japanese farmers alone amounts to more than \$500,000.

POWER AND LIGHT RATES IN HAWAII MAY BE ADJUSTED

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RECENT TRANSPORTATION DEAL STARTS NEW MOVE

County and People of Hilo Both Claim They Are Victims of Corporations

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

The supervisors of Hawaii county want the public utilities commission to make an adjustment of the rates charged subscribers of the Hilo Electric company for power and light. This was developed yesterday at the meeting of the board where a letter was read from Norman K. Lyman, secretary for Sam Kaunane, chairman of the board of supervisors. The letter follows:

"Now that the public utilities commission has decided upon and fixed the rate of electric current that the Hilo Electric Company can charge the Hilo Traction Company, a concern which the public has no interest in, whatever, because the price of riding in the cars will not be reduced in the least, it will still be five-cent fares, please, we would like rates fixed for the general consumers."

Want General Rate Adjusted

"What the public generally is interested in is that the public utilities commission gets down to brass tacks and fixes the rate that the company should charge of the present consumers of current and light, get a reasonable reduction for them and have the proper rates fixed so that the public and the county will be able to get cheap current."

"Why should the public and the county have to pay as much each month at the present time for a few street lights, as it is going to cost a company that will not be in existence inside of two years. Shall we continue with this high cost of current when the commission have fixed the cost of the production of current at .0001?"

County Bill Too Large

"The bills for current and lights which the county has paid for the last quarter, amounted to \$173.51 and this amount is being increased as time goes on. Unless some relief is given to the county by the public utilities commission this amount will be doubled in two or three years. If you desire copies of these claims I can furnish them to you."

"Rates are so high now for the electric current in town that the moving picture houses have raised the price to the show house. The public is being stung for the increase and the public utilities commission still sit tight."

"Kindly let me know what can be done about this matter, as the county is figuring on putting in a power plant of its own if proper rates cannot be arrived at very soon."

Plan Killed In Legislature

The letter leads to the plan broached in the last legislature but which died young, that Hilo obtain the use of the water-power belonging to the Territory in Waialuku river for the purpose of installing a municipal light and power plant along the lines of the lighting plant of this city.

At the present time this water-power is supposed to be for the use of the Hilo Traction Company, which will turn it over to the Hilo Electric Company as part payment for the power the traction company will take from the electric company, and arrangements are soon to be started for the transfer of or lease to the electric company from the government.

Territory Loses and Wins

In the recent suit by the Territory against the Hilo Boarding School, to decide the ownership of this water, the Territory lost its case; but while losing, it gained in the quantity of water it might have, as the water held to belong to the school was very much less than it claimed.

WHY THAT LAME BACK?

That morning lameness, those sharp twinges when bending over, and that dull, all-day backache, are enough reason to suspect kidney trouble. Get right after the cause. Help the kidneys.

Kidney weakness is about the most common ailment known. We work too hard, we worry, we eat too much (especially meat), we drink strong drinks and we neglect our outdoor exercise rest and sleep.

This sort of a life fills the blood with poisonous wastes and the kidneys weak end by the overwork of purifying the blood.

Of course such habits must be given up if the sufferer wants to be rid of kidney trouble for good.

But the kidneys need outside help too, and that is just what Doan's Backache Kidney Pills are for. People all over the world recommend Doan's. I your trouble is like this, get a box of Doan's and try them.

"When Your Back is Lame—Remember the Name." Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—ask distinctly for Doan's Backache Kidney Pills and take no other. Doan's Backache Kidney Pills are sold by all druggists and storekeepers at 50c a box, (six boxes \$2.50), or will be mailed on receipt of price by the Hollister Drug Co., or Benson-Smith & Co., agents for the Hawaiian Islands.

TEUTONS WIN GROUND THAT BRITISH HELD

Switching Attack From Verdun Germans Make Hard Drive Against Hulluch

BATTLE IN ARTOIS

(Associated Press By Federal Wireless.)

LONDON, May 13.—Switching the attacks from Verdun to the British lines guarding the ground about the famous Hill 70 and Hulluch, just south of La Bassée canal, the Germans yesterday launched fresh assaults against the positions of the British, and claim to have taken 500 yards of trenches on the first line. This success is said to have taken place after heavy fighting and artillery bombardment of the British positions at Vermelles.

The British headquarters, however, reports that the counter-attacks launched immediately after the German infantry reached the first-line trenches resulted in the recapture of almost all of the ground lost, although the Germans still hold some of the outlying trenches.

Revives Fighting Months Ago

It was here last year that the British offensive gained more than one and one-half miles from the Germans over a five-mile front, extending from Loos to La Bassée canal. Hulluch at that time lay more than two miles east of the former British line and the men carried it after an advance that involved the entire distance without a pause, by the use of their bayonets in desperate hand-to-hand fighting.

Just north of Hulluch are the Quarries, which were carried and lost only to be carried again by the British. Slightly to the north-west lies the Hohenlorenz redoubt.

Yesterday's fighting in this sector is reported by both sides to have been very heavy and Berlin claims that the British losses were large, including many prisoners.

Verdun Battle Again Suspended

Further east the fighting has dwindled to the ordinary cut and thrust of trench warfare. Even on the Verdun front, where there were attacks and counter-attacks, the battle appears once more to have been suspended by the Germans, a fact of which the French took advantage immediately by driving home two counter-offensives, and recapturing several vantage points south-easterly of Haucourt.

The struggle on the northern slopes of Le Homme Mort was resumed for a time yesterday, the Crown Prince again making a bid for victory in that hotly contested region, and bidding too low, for his men were thrown back with tremendous loss by the curtain fire of the French guns and the hand grenades of the infantry. Several attempts were made in that section, each one proving costly to the Germans.

Russians Are Planning Drive

Upon the Eastern front, where the Russians appear to be gathering themselves for a fresh offensive, as soon as the roads harden and the country becomes fit to operate through, there were many severe artillery attacks, and in the Dvinsk and Jacobstadt districts several abortive and futile infantry assaults.

In the Mesopotamia theater of the war the Russians are again pressing forward, having administered another defeat to the Ottoman forces. According to the despatches from the Grand Duke Nicholas every day is bringing the Moscovites closer to the ancient city of Bagdad.

DOUAMONT'S FALL GRAPHICALLY TOLD

The occupation of Fort Douaumont by the Germans in March, which has been one of the most important successes of the enemy during the long battle of Verdun, is described to The Associated Press by a French infantry officer in the following words:

"We had to combat detachments of the enemy that had slipped inside the fort with machine guns and a revolving cannon. At the same time we had to watch over a winding ravine opening near the church of Douaumont through which the Germans might get through. We thus had to look two ways while we were nearly blinded with smoke and with dust raised by shells that furrowed the ground all about. Orders could be heard only a step away in the deafening crashes that were almost continuous."

The ground quaked under the concussion. All our defense works were obliterated between two o'clock in the morning and one o'clock in the afternoon when the Germans increased the range of their artillery fire and their infantry attacked the village. We were cut off from all communication front and rear, for every man sent out with information was a dead man."

"The Germans came out of the fort and from concealed positions we had not been able to reconnoitre, and advanced through the ravine simultaneously. The men debouching from the fort were seen first. We hesitated because they were the new helmets of our infantry. Our commandant ordered: 'Don't fire! They are French!' Then he fell with a bullet in his throat fired by the men wearing the French helmets. 'Fire! Fire!' Ordered the adjutant of the battalion: 'They are Germans.'"

"The loss of our commandant through this ruse excited the fury of our men, already decided to make the supreme sacrifice."

"The battalion had had the mission of defending the village at no matter what cost. They were doubly bent upon it now, as the Germans learned when with several of its machine guns out of action, the ... company fell upon masses which were mowing the left side of Douaumont. With bayonet and rifle butt our boys opened breaches in the thick ranks before them and strewn the ground with German dead. Resisting to the last man, the French stabbed and clubbed until overwhelmed by the weight of numbers."

"A hundred Germans advanced in the direction of a farm on the summit of a hill 800 yards south of the village. Eighty of them fell on the field under the fire of a single machine gun. The rest fled. That gun continued firing until dusk, at the western skirts of the village, decimating numerous groups."

PARTIAL MORATORIUM IS DECLARED BY CHINA

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

PEKING, May 13.—The government yesterday afternoon declared a partial moratorium. The mandate announces that hereafter the Bank of China will redeem paper with gold and silver. It is declared that the demand for silver throughout the country has become so great that it threatens to deplete the available supply beyond the safety point.

BERLIN REPORTS REVOLT OF PORTUGUESE TROOPS

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

BERLIN, May 12.—A despatch from Granada declares that revolution has broken out at Lisbon, Portugal, that the troops of the republic have mutinied and the arsenals have been burned.